

THE BLAIRMORE ENTERPRISE

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\$2.00 YEARLY

F. M. Thompson Co.
The Quality Store

We take this
opportunity of
thanking our many
friends for patronage
during the outgoing
year, and trust for a
continuance of that good
will which has
prompted their past
dealings.

With The Season's
Best Greetings To All

PHONE 25
The Store That Saves You Money

Let Us Help You Make Your
New Year Gifts Something Really
Useful

We have a complete stock, at Prices to suit this
year's pocket book.

Toilet Sets:
For ladies and gentlemen, in
cases, Ebony and White Ivory, all
so by the piece in solid white ivory.

Military Hair Brushes.

Safety Razors:
Gillette and Auto Strop, Razor
Blades and Brushes. Also com-
plete shaving sets.

Perfume, in Fancy Bottles.

China Ware:
A new assortment of Cups and
Saucers.

Ladies' Handbags:
Coin Purse. All new goods.

Christmas Chocolates:
Liquettes, Mints, Lovers', in
½ to 2-pound boxes. All freshin.

Services' Latest Poems.

A big line of Boys' and Girls'
Books, and Picture Books for Chil-
dren.

Other Gifts Too Numerous To Mention

The Blairmore Pharmacy

Burns' Best is the 'Shamrock' Test

Try "SHAMROCK" BACON For
Your Next Order and We Know
You Will Not Be Disappointed.

P. Burns & Co., Ltd.

Drastic Measures Against The Booze

Official announcement was made today purchased on or before that by the prime minister at Ottawa date for importation into Canada on Saturday of the prohibition of and unless, having been so purchased, it is imported into Canada not later than the 31st day of January, 1918. The final determination upon any question respecting such purchase shall rest with the minister of customs. This regulation shall not apply to importations for medicinal, sacramental, manufacturing or chemical purposes.

The announcement reads: "On December 17th the people gave to the government an unmistakable mandate for the vigorous prosecution of the war and for the employment of all the country's resources necessary to achieve victory. It is essential and vital for the efficient conduct of the war that wasteful or unnecessary expenditure should be prohibited and that all articles capable of being utilized as food should be conserved. It is beyond question that the use of liquor affects adversely the realization of this purpose. The subject has been under consideration by the war committee of the cabinet and the following conclusions have been reached:

(1) Any liquor or beverage containing more than 25 per cent. alcohol shall be regarded as intoxicating liquor.

(2) The importation of intoxicating liquor into Canada is prohibited on and after December 21, 1917, unless it shall have been ac-

cepted by the War Measures Act.

The foregoing provisions shall remain in force during the war and for twelve months after the conclusion of peace.

As above mentioned, the prohibition of importation became effective on December the 24th. The regulation to carry into effect the other provisions above mentioned are being prepared, and as soon as approved they will be enacted under the provisions of the War Measures Act.

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WE THANK our many patrons for favors shown us during the past year, and hope that the New Year will be full of Happiness and Prosperity for one and all, and trust that we may experience a continuance of your confidence in our Honest Dealings.

Our Motto is:
"Honesty is Best Policy in Business"

The Right Goods at The Right Prices
Blairmore Trading Co.
THE STORE THAT SELLS FOR LESS

Seasonable Groceries

Five Rose Flour \$5.95. B.C. Potatoes \$1.00 bushel.
Apples, \$2.25 per case—Biscuits, Jonathans, Washington, etc.
Oranges from 4c per dozen. Lemons 5c per dozen. Grapes 25c pound
Onions, perfect stock, 1 pounds 25c.
Special Gold Bar Canned Fruits. Sliced Peaches, Pears, Apricots.
Pineapples—These are equal to home made.
Tomato Catup 35c per bottle. Horse Radish 25c bottle
Chili Sauce H.P. Sauce 25c bottle Worcester Sauce 25c
Fluid Beef \$1.25 per lb or 16 oz bottle Tomato Paste 35c can
Lobster 35c, 3 cans for \$1.00 Pumpkin 25c can Oysters 25c can
Peanut Butter, Squirrel, 25c can Minced Meat, Wetherly's, 5c 4lb can
Shelled Walnuts, French, 75c pound Stewed Elmonds, Spanish, 5c lb
Biscuits, always fresh. Jams, all varieties.
Currants, Raisins, Dates, Peels, Cocacnut Figs, Icing Sugar, etc.
Nuts—Walnuts, Brazil, Almonds, Filberts, Peanuts.
Gold, Clover Leaf Cups and Saucers, 6 for 96c.

Everything you need. Prices guaranteed this year—no change
try out 35c Coffees.

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Sash and Doors. Shingles and Lath

Cement and Brick Construction

All Building Materials Supplied.

Plans Furnished. Estimates Given

Blairmore Sinclair Block Alberta

**Cut Glass, Cutlery, Candle-
Sticks, Shades, Shaving
Accessories, Etc.**

**Our Stock of Christmas Goods is better as-
sorted than in previous years.**

You will find plenty of variety here in useful articles, suitable
for Yuletide remembrances for old or young folks.

The Blairmore Hardware Co.

By the use of a prohibition meas-
ure, four blind pigs were restored
to light on Monday of this week.
It is thought that years have
elapsed since some of the "fan-
tastic" ones were stricken blind.
As a result of Monday's administration
some seventy plunks have been
added to the provincial treasury.

Pte. Joseph McIlhaga is down
from Ogden to spend the Christ-
mas season with friends in Frank
and Blairmore. Pte. McIlhaga,
who is a survivor of some of the
great engagements of the famous
Fighting Tenth Battalion, is fast
recovering from the effects of his
wounds and is looking well.

Sudden Death of Mrs. Hugh Hutton

The death reaper has claimed an
other victim in the person of Mrs.
Hugh Hutton, of Bellevue, which
occurred under extremely sad cir-
cumstances at Fernie on Monday
night last. Mrs. Hutton had been
spending the Yuletide with friends
at Fernie, and intended returning
to Bellevue on Christmas night, but
God willed otherwise and after but
a brief illness she passed to the
Great Beyond before the termination
of her vacation. The remains
were brought to Frank on Tuesday
night, and interment took

place Thursday afternoon from the
residence of Mrs. George Coupland,
sister-in-law of the deceased, to the
Blairmore cemetery, Rev. W. T.
Young officiating.

Mrs. Hutton was but in the
prime of life and had been a resi-
dent of The Pass for a number of
years. Her husband is overseas
fighting side by side with four of
his brothers, and will be deeply
grieved to learn of the untimely de-
mise of his beloved wife.

With the bereaved relatives we
join in sincerest sympathy.

**Returned Veterans
Are Banqueted**

One of the most interesting
events of the season, and indeed the
most important, took place at the
opera house last night, when a
grand reception and banquet was
extended to returned veterans by the
citizens of The Pass under the di-
rect auspices of the local branch of
the Returned Soldiers' Bureau.

Supper was served to an in-
pouring of guests from 6 to 8:30 p.m.,
followed by the presentation of
civic certificates on behalf of the

people of the town of Blairmore to
heroic veterans of the first three
years of war. The presentations
were made by Mr. J. E. Gillis, time is anticipated.

president of the local Bureau, who
in a fitting manner expressed an
appreciation of the speech in which
our local heroes had responded to
the call of our country and empire.

Among the recipients were natives
of gallant little Belgium who had
volunteered to go overseas without
Canadian forces and do their part
towards avenging the atrocities of
the cruel Hun.

A programme of speeches, songs,
etc., was brought to a close at 10
P.M.

Tonight a grand ball will be
given in honour of returned veterans,
all of whom are cordially invited to
be present. Excellent music has
been arranged for, and a right good
time is anticipated.

**Food Situation is Grave**

Vital Necessity of Conservation of Food Supplies and Increased Production

The latest appeal of W. J. Hanna, food controller, is worthy of attention.

Mrs. Hanna's statement is as follows:

"Recent developments in Europe official correspondence and the latest crop estimates make it plain that the world food situation today is serious beyond anything that we have known in recent years. Unless we are willing to make some sacrifice in our eating and rigorously to guard against waste of foodstuffs, our arms are endangered."

"Reports of the crops of France and Italy show that we shall be called upon to exert every effort to conserve every ounce of our abilities. Temporary disaster has overtaken the Italian army and it will be necessary to support them almost by rushing food shipments. The requirements of Great Britain will be much larger than those of France, and we must also consider the women and children of France from terrible suffering and make certain that the allied cause will not be weakened by shortage of essential food supplies."

"The situation is grave today and the time has come when the people of Canada must realize that the alarm of North America to a far greater extent than ever before. It is within the power of all of us effectively to support the efforts of our armies. Canadian forces are doing their part by harvesting a splendid crop. Plans have been made for greater production next year. But until we increase the supply of increasing the exportable surplus of food is for the consumer to do his duty. The feeding efficiency of our forces will be maintained unless Canada awakens to the seriousness of the food problem. There rests upon us a tremendous responsibility—perhaps for the very issue of the war."

He—My ancestors came over in the Mayflower.
She—It's lucky they did; the immigration bags are a little strict."

Chances of War

"Twenty-nine Chances to One Your Boys Returns

Well-informed military men say that 29 boys go to the front.

He has twenty-nine chances of getting home to one chance of being killed.

He has ninety-eight chances of recovering from a wound to two chances of dying.

He will live five years longer because of physical training.

He will live longer than in civil life.

He has better medical care at the front than at home.

He other wars from ten to fifteen bullets.

This was less wasteful of life.

On 10 per cent. of all Canadians serving overseas have been physically unable to engage in their former occupations.

If your boy is one of the 10 per cent. the government will re-education him in another occupation at which he can earn a living.

THE ONLY MEDICINE FOR LITTLE ONES

Mrs. H. Blanche, St. Pauline, Quebec, writes:—"I have obtained great results from the use of Dr. Chase's Tablets. They are the only medicine I know of that can depend upon to promptly cure bowel and stomach trouble. The tablets fail to relieve this little one and besides the mother has the guarantee of a medical analyst that they are absolutely safe. They are made by dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. William's Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

An Honor Well Deserved

Orrville Wright was recently decorated with the Albert Medal, awarded by the Royal Society of Arts of England for distinguished performance. He is a man who has won an honor bestowed where it belongs. Has there been any other contribution to the modern art of war more important than the aeronautics in which he has been engaged?

A cynic is a man who must be unhappy in order to appear happy.

Fightin' Sons-of-Guns

The Canadians are Always There With the Punch

In common with a large portion of the American public, I long harbored a suspicion that the publicity Canadians were receiving for their activities in France could possibly be explained on the ground of propaganda. That was doing them any injustice. Those certain crack British regiments are not held by any troops in the world, the fact remains that the Canadian army, as a whole, contains some of the most formidable contingents of foot soldiers in the world. This statement does not represent any valueless personal prejudice, but the opinion of military experts.

With the punch, may heaven help us!

With the punch, may heaven help us to the front! He has twenty-nine chances of getting home to one chance of being killed.

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Knitting in Church

The Sunday School teacher of the Congregational minister, Mr. D. Cole, was not accompanied by the merry clicking needles. A woman in his congregation was unwilling to let go off knitting of sleeveless sweaters and other comforts for the Sanitäts.

He petitioned the pastor for permission to continue knitting, the services having only agreed, but assured him to recruit members for the Sunday morning knitting class.

Sleeplessness.—Sleep is the greatest restorer and to be deprived of it is vital loss. Whatever may be the cause of it, indigestion, nervous depression or mental worry, to be able to sleep is a necessity.

By regulating the action of the stomach, where the trouble lies, they will have no trouble in falling asleep. And sleep will follow. And a sedative force upon the nerves and where there is unrest they bring rest.

Breastis.—Is it true that sailors have a girl in every port?

Midshipman Harold—Well, I'd hardly say that—there were several places we didn't touch on our cruise.

Judge—

Shopping in Toronto

is really delightful, due to the numerous small retail stores, where the best in art articles, novelties and designs are always on exhibition at moderate prices. Many people find that it is a pleasure to save the expense of a trip on their Christmas shopping through buying in Toronto.

What an Opportunity

to get to visit to the City and make a pleasant holiday. It need not be a tedious, difficult task. No need to travel by rail or boat. The House of Commons Hotel, just a few minutes walk from the station. We have special facilities for handling

THE WALKER HOUSE, TORONTO

Dr. Wright and E. M. Carroll, Prop.

The House of Plenty and Restorative Rates

When buying your Piano Insist on having an Otto Higel Piano Action

Time the Enemy

We have taken our time even in our support of Britain and France. Alas for that element of time! How we have squandered it!

"Ask of me anything you will say," Napoleon to his general, "but give me time."

We have acted very much as if we had all the time there is. Now the swift advance of the Teutons to victory gives us a mere moment's respite, a mock of such assistance as we can give. But our resources must not be strained. We must actively assist Britain and France in measures of prompt assistance.

Boston Transcript.

Minard's Liniment Cure, Diphtheria.**The Dragon's Teeth**

With twenty-two nations named in the compilation, it becomes evident how effectively Germany has sown the dragon's teeth. The she-wolf in her endeavors to complete the ancient myth by setting the armed progeny against each other is equally effective. The fervent desire of liberty that can be done.

The temporary collapse of the Russian military power is the only break. Thus let it be hoped, is Russia a full taste of the Prussian methods. Kansas City Star.

Breastis.—Is it true that sailors

have a girl in every port?

Midshipman Harold—Well, I'd hardly say that—there were several places we didn't touch on our cruise.

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THE ENTERPRISE, BLAIRMORE, ALBERTA.

**THE INTERNATIONAL
Coal and Coke Company, Ltd.**

Operates the

**DENISON COLLIERIES
AT COLEMAN, ALBERTA.**

Mines High Grade Steam
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Manufacturers of the Best
Coke on the Market.

MAKE MONEY EASY

If you would do so, invest in town
lots in the most substantially founded
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High Grade Domestic Lump \$6.50 Delivered
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Dealer in Rough and Dressed Lumber
Shingles, Lath, Doors, Windows, Etc.

Deliveries at Bellevue, Hillcrest, Passbank and Frank

Lumber Yards and Office at

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**Auto Garage
And Repair Shop**

Fully equipped to do all kinds of repair work
to Automobiles and Cycles at shortest notice.
Parts and Accessories, Oils and Gasoline Stocked—

Auto Livery in Connection.

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Shops: Dearborn St., next Gresham blacksmith shop

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Plumber, Steamfitter, Tinsmith,
Light Hardware & Enamelware

All work promptly attended to.

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W. J. BARTLETT, Proprietor.

Blairmore, Alta., Fri., Dec. 28, 1917

**Screenings Available
As Hog Feed**

The Provincial Department of Agriculture is co-operating in the best way possible
to the campaign in increasing the production
in order to meet the urgent need
of the Allies for larger supplies of bacon.

The question of economic foods in sufficient
quantity is necessarily important
in meat production, and in times of keen
demand the cheaper kinds of foods take
on a relatively high value. In former
years large quantities of our screenings
have been exported to the United States,
but by a recent Federal Order-in-Council
an embargo has been put on screenings
in order to encourage their larger use
within the Dominion under the
direction of the Food Controller. Licenses
on export will not be granted until
the Live Stock Branch of the Federal
Department of Agriculture, acting for
the Food Controller, has had opportunity
to examine and approve the export
offered to nations. The goods called "A"
screenings are the class of feed being
offered to feeders. They consist chiefly
of cracked wheat, oats, buckwheat, wild
oats and other grains but are separated
screenings and do not include dark seeds.
A considerable supply of this feed is now
held by the Federal Department of Agriculture
and is available for immediate
shipment to feeders.

The Provincial Department of Agriculture
is co-operating with the Federal
Government by undertaking to receive
applications for supplies of this feed, and
to attend to its distribution. It is available
only in certain cities either to individuals
or co-operative groups. Co-operative
groups may be such farmers' organizations
as the United Farmers Association
or similar organizations, or any
other group which may be organized
for the purpose of securing these
supplies. Shipments will be made on
usual feed terms, namely: sight draft
attached to bill of lading. Accepted
cheque for \$100.00 which will be returned
upon completion of the sale, must be sent
with each application.

Applications may be made to J. D.
Smith, Sup't, Seed & Weed Branch, De-
partment of Agriculture, Edmonton,
Alberta.

A Prophecy

Speaking of prophecies, we were much
struck with these lines, which appeared
in the War Notes of the "Daily Post,"
and want some bearing:

Absolute knowledge I have none,
But my aunt's washerwoman's sister's
son

Heard a policeman on his beat
Say to a laborer on the street
"I'm not a leg-breaker, but I break
Women in the first place."

From a Chinese couple in Timbuktu,
Who said a nigger in Cuba knew
Of a coloured man in a Texas town,
Who got straight from a circus clown.

That a man in Klondyke heard the
news

From a gang of South American Jews
About somebody in Birne.
Who had heard a man claimed to
know

Of a sweet society female rake
Whose mother-in-law will undertake
To prove that her seventh husband's
sister's niece

Has stated in a printed piece
That she had a son who had a friend
Who knows when the war is going to
end.

Rev. and Mrs. H. Peters left for
Edmonton last week end, to spend
Christmas with Mrs. Peters' parents.

Miss Florence Hallworth came
home from Calgary last week end
to spend Christmas with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. William Weldon
came up from High River to spend
Christmas with friends in Bellevue.

Charlie Burrows, senior, who
has spent some time in the north
country, returned to Bellevue this
week.

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to spend Christmas with her parents.

Misses Kate and Elizabeth, and
Master William Williams, came
home from Calgary to spend Xmas
at their home

It is safe to say that Bellevue's
store windows were the best and
most attractive to be found in The
Pass throughout the holiday sea-
son. It would not be safe to make
any particular mention of any, for
all were as tastily decorated as
could be desired.

People of Bellevue were shocked
on Monday to hear of the death of
Mrs. Hugh Hutton, which occurred
in Fernie. Mrs. Hutton had
been in poor health for some time
past, but no one expected that the
end was so near. Mrs. Hutton
leaves a husband, who is a soldier
in France, and a son, John, in
Bellevue.

All men in the United States
have been taken over by the gov-
ernment, all to be operated by one
director-general.

Frank Methodist Church

Service every Sunday at 11:15 a.m. and
7:30 p.m.
Sunday school at 10:30 a.m. and 2:30
p.m.

Pastor, Rev. James Fulton.

At yesterday's meeting of the
council a communication was re-
ceived from the department of agricul-
ture requesting the council to
urge upon the people the impor-
tance of swine raising. Councillor
Rosse asked the mayor: "Can
pigs be kept in town?" Mayor
Beebe replied: "Sure they can, if
they're not blind!"

All swine in the United States
have been taken over by the gov-
ernment, all to be operated by one
director-general.

Final Meeting 1917 Council

The regular meeting of the Blair-
more town council was held yester-
day afternoon, Mayor Besbe and
Councillors Rosse, Dutil, Lagace,
McVey and Christopher being
present.

The secretary read the minutes
of last regular meeting, which were
in order approved.

Several communications were
received and duly dealt with, and
the following accounts were passed
for payment, subject to approval of
respective committees:

John Turner, advance in connection
with electric light repairs contract, \$100.

West Canadian Collieries, for
electric light current for the month
of October \$633.50.

J. E. Gillis, for drafting By-Laws
61 and 62, and other work \$10.

W. A. Besbe, rent of town office
for months of November and De-
cember, \$40.

Blairmore Enterprise, for publication
three insertions of By-Laws
61 and 62 \$45.44.

Frank Wright, for services as
returning officer for elections 1917
and By-Laws 61 and 62, \$20.

Sundry accounts, \$41.

Approval of By-Law 61 was re-
ceived from the Board of Public
Utilities Commissioners signed by
Chairman Bulyea and Secretary
Reilly.

Resignation of A. McLeod from
the office of chief of police, sanitary
inspector, fire chief, etc., was
read, and on motion by Christo-
phers-Rosse was accepted.

Mayor Beebe announced that a tem-
porary appointment of chief of
police had been made by him, sub-
ject to approval by council.

Councillor Dutil gave notice that
at the next regular meeting of the
council he would introduce by-
law appointing officials for 1918.

Council adjourned at 5 p.m.

Bellevue Happenings

Now is the time to arrange
for your

**W. Duncan
Custom Tailor**

Suits Made To Order

**Full Range of Samples
Tweeds, Serges, Etc.**

**Clothes Cleaned, Pressed
and Repaired at
Short Notice**

Near Railway Depot

Frank Alberta

**W. G. Fraser
Contractor**

**Now is the time to arrange
for your**

Fall House Cleaning

**Full line of Samples of lat-
est patterns Wall Paper.**

Make Appointments Early

House to Rent - in Frank - \$10 and up

Light and water in

Phone 62

**J. B. HARMER
Agent:
Fire, Accident, Plate Glass
and
Automobile Insurance.**

**Rents Collected
P.O. Block - Blairmore**

- DENTISTRY -

**R. K. Little, D.D.S., L.D.S.,
Graduate N.U.D., Chicago**

**Coleman, Morning 1 to 12
Blairmore, Afternoon 1 to 6
Evenings by Appointment
Phone: Both Offices 33 - Residence 133**



**Blairmore Lodge, No. 13, meets in their
new hall 830 Victoria St., every Tuesday at
8 P.M. Visiting members are welcome.**

W. McEvoy, N.G. - W. GORDON, M.H.

**GROWNS' NEST ENCAMPMEN'T NO. 8
Meets in the L.O.O.F. Hall every**

**Second and fourth Wednesday
W. Evans, C.P. - W. J. BARTLETT, R.S.**



**SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST
LAND AGENCY**

**THE sole head of a family or any male over
18 years old, may homestead a quarter
section of land in the Canadian Northwest. The applicant must
appear in person at the Dominion Land Agency
office in Edmonton, or at the nearest branch office. Applications
may be made at any Dominion Land Agency
office, or at the nearest branch office. Duties - Six months residence upon
homesteading, and one year thereafter upon
acquisition except where residence is performed**

Livestock may be substituted for cultivation

**In certain districts a homesteader in good
standing may pre-empt a quarter-section along
the railway line.**

**Duties - Six months residence in each of three
years extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent
will be issued as soon as homestead is performed**

**A settler who has established his home
in a certain district, may homestead a certain
district.**

Price - \$3 per acre.

**Interest - \$1.50 per acre per year, to be paid in
each year, until the land is sold for \$300.**

W. W. COY, C.M.A.

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

N.W.T. - This advertisement is to inform you that this ad-

vertisement will not be sold for \$300.

It Pays To Advertise

Miss Anna Fulton, former teach-

er of the Blairmore public school,

and later of Foremost, will likely

have charge of the school at Land-

broke for the next term, succeeding

Miss Nellie McWilliams, re-

signed.

What verse in the bible best de-

scribes the college student?

"They toil not, neither do they

sing; yet Solomon in all his glory

was not arrayed like one of

these."

A

Public Meeting

Will Be Held in The
Oddfellows Hall,
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Monday, Dec. 31
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To Discuss the Doctor Question

This is a public affair and should be of interest to everyone in Frank and Blairmore

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The installation of officers of the Pass Masonic Lodges took place last night, and we hope to be able to publish complete lists in our next issue.

The annual Christmas Treat for the children of the Anglican Sunday school was held on Monday evening last, and in spite of the inclement weather there was a big turnout of children and parents and a pleasant time resulted.

A treat is in store for the people of Blairmore and vicinity on the night of Tuesday, January the 8th, when the famous Scott family of entertainers will appear at the Blairmore opera house under the auspices of the local branch of the Red Cross Society. This is said to be the most refined and artistic Scotch family that ever travelled Canada, their features comprising Scotch, English and Irish song, dancing, duets, etc., of the highest character.

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OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST

With this issue The Enterprise comes its eighth year.

Michel Ross has been appointed a commissioner for taking affidavits.

Pte. Henry Smallwood returned from Calgary this week to spend the holiday season with his parents.

The organization meeting of the 1918 town council will be held on the evening of Monday, January 7th.

Pte. Charles Harrison, who recently returned from overseas, arrived in town from Calgary the early part of the week.

School teachers and councillors in Stellarton are parading the town hand-in-hand, soliciting subscriptions for the Halifax relief fund.

We would suggest a similar vocation for local saloons and teachers.

A public meeting will be held in the Oddfellows' hall on Monday evening next to give the citizens of Frank and Blairmore an opportunity to consider the doctor question. All interested are requested to be present at 7.45 sharp.

We asked little Mary, a neighbor of ours, the other day "What was the difference between an Italian and an Irishman?" Mary replied: "Don't know, but I suppose the Irishman has more stuff in him."

There was a goodly attendance at the Christmas Tree and festival given by the children of overseas sol-

diers in the Union hall on Monday evening under the auspices of the Nights of Gladness Club, and the families affected express their great appreciation of the splendid efforts put forward by the members of this new organization.

A college graduate was walking down the street in Blairmore one evening with a friend of Irish descent, and, pausing to look up at the starry sky, remarked with enthusiasm:

"How bright Orion is tonight!" "So that is O'Bryan, is it?" replied Pat. "Well, think the Lord, there's one Irishman in heaven, anyhow!"

For the winter months only, Crows' Nest Encampment meetings will be held immediately following subordinate lodge meetings on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month, and it is expected that at the next regular meeting, on the night of Tuesday, January the 8th, R. B. Morden, grand high priest of the Grand Encampment of Alberta, will pay an official visit.

Billy Sunday, in living up to his profession, tried to punch the devil out of a German down in Atlanta last week. Billy is said to have had much the best of his much bigger opponent, when a crowd interfered and separated the combatants. Billy, much inspired at his pugilistic feat, continued his discourse, attacking vigorously the Germans and their allies in this war.

Seven thousand decorations have

been conferred to date on members of the Canadian expeditionary force for valor in the field and for outstanding war services, seven officers and twelve men having gained the coveted Victoria Cross; 306 officers have received the Distinguished Service Order; six have examined the bar to the Distinguished Service Order and 105 Canadian nurses have received the Royal Red Cross. There have been one through confederates operating K.C.M.C. and sixteen C.W.R. and three throughout the State, to whom K.C.M.C.'s bestow on Canadians, the notes were to be sold at \$5. One thousand and ten officers and each. A printing press weighing twenty-six of other ranks have been more than a ton was used in printing decorated with the Military Cross, the bills.

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W. H. Hilton, of Wayne, is spending Christmas with his family at Cranbrook.

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Miss Seigel spent Christmas at her home in Nutall, returning to town on Wednesday.

Sapper Belik, of Coleman, is reported in Saturday's casualties as suffering from burns.

The great Krupp munitions plant at Eezen is reported to have been damaged by fire.

The Chinese government has forwarded a cheque for £10,000 to the Halifax relief fund.

Harry Launder, the world-famous Scotch comedian, will visit Lethbridge on February 25th.

The old French cruiser Chateau Renatini has been sunk in the Ionian Sea by a submarine.

It is calculated that ten thousand men will be called in the Montreal military district on January the 3rd.

One hundred and fifty 5000-ton steel cargo ships will soon be under construction in United States shipyards.

Several local joints, suspected of being engaged in the blind pig business, were raided by the police on Saturday night last.

Some men are kept in institutions provided for that purpose, while others, known as half-handicapped, are and are permitted to run at large.

Freight handlers of Montreal have unanimously passed a resolution demanding that no alien enemies be allowed within a half mile of Montreal water-front on penalty of death.

A writ has been issued by the Albertan Publishing Co. and Editor Davideen, of Calgary, against S. G. Monne of Calgary, for unauthorized damages, arising out of a statement made by Muine in Central Methodist church on Sunday evening, the 16th.

A Swiss called on the medical board at Lethbridge last week, wanting to enlist in the flying corps. He was 27 years of age and outside the draft, but declared that the neutrality of Switzerland had been violated by German aviators and it was therefore time for every Swiss in Canada to enlist.

The Victoria Trades and Labor Council has gone on record against the Patriotic Fund and all other organizations soliciting financial support for war purposes. It will recommend to all its members that they refuse to contribute on the ground that all such funds should be provided out of the consolidated revenue of the country.

A poet was once asked to write in a lady's autograph album, and the poet, complying, wrote the line: "What is so rare as a day in June?"

Calling at the lady's house a few days later he idly turned the pages of the album till he came to his own autograph. Beneath it was written in a childish scrawl, "A Chinaman with whiskers."

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The Alberta legislature is likely to meet early in February.

British Columbia voted two to one for Union government.

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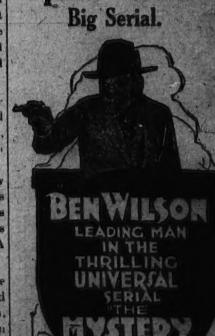
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